

|   |  |   |                                |                                   |  |
|---|--|---|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION   |  | CLASSIFIED MESSAGE  | TOTAL COPIES                   | ROUTING AND/OR INITIALS - SEEN BY |  |
| PERSON/UNIT   |  | SECRET  | CIA-RDP79B01737A000300020015-4 |                                   |  |
| ADVANCE COPY  |  | REPRODUCTION OF THIS COPY PROHIBITED                            |                                |                                   |  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ISSUED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOTTED |  | INDEX: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO |                                |                                   |  |
| BY: <u>A</u> AT: <u>1120</u> Z  |  | CLASSIFY TO FILE NO.  |                                |                                   |  |
| DISSEM BY: <u>52</u> PER <u>OCI</u> # <u>4</u>                              |  | X-REF TO FILE NO.   |                                |                                   |  |
| ACTION: <u>D/OCI 2</u> <input type="checkbox"/> RID COPY                    |  | FILE RID <input type="checkbox"/> RET. TO                       |                                |                                   |  |
|   |  | INFO: FILE, VR, <u>DDP, DDP, SAVA, C/FE, SDO</u>                |                                |                                   |  |

PRECEDENCE

**ACTION**

SECRET 181029Z MAR 68 CITE SAIGON 0096

18 MAR 68 072301 25X1A

PRIORITY DIRECTOR

25X1A

1. TEAM WAS BRIEFED BY STATION SUNDAY AND BY MACV MONDAY. WILL SPEND TUESDAY DANANG, WEDNESDAY NHA TRANG AND PLEIKU, THURSDAY BIEN HOA AND CAN THO, FRIDAY ADDITIONAL BRIEFINGS SAIGON. PLAN LEAVE SAIGON ON SCHEDULE SATURDAY.

25X1A

25X1A

25X1A

2. [REDACTED] OF LAST ITEM). (OPS CEN [REDACTED]) CALLED ON BUNKER AND WESTMORELAND MONDAY MORNING. DISCUSSION EASY AND FRANK. NO PROBLEMS. STATION BRIEFING EXCELLENT. MACV BRIEFING ROUTINE.

3. INITIAL IMPRESSION IS THAT PRELIMINARY POST MORTEM WILL STAND UP WELL. WASHINGTON APPEARS TO HAVE HAD SAME MATERIAL AS SAIGON, BUT ATMOSPHERE OF ALL HELL ABOUT TO BREAK LOOSE, WHICH EXISTED SAIGON, DID NOT FULLY CARRY THROUGH TO WASHINGTON.

4. LARGE AMOUNT OF MATERIAL POUCHED THROUGH MILITARY CHANNELS. CMDR HAMILTON WILL PROVIDE COPY TO [REDACTED] ON

25X1A

| CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION   |  | CLASSIFIED MESSAGE  | TOTAL COPIES                   | ROUTING AND/OR INITIALS - SEEN BY |    |
|---|--|---|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----|
| PERSON UNIT NOTIFIED  |  | SECRET  | CIA-RDP79B01737A000300020015-4 | 6                                 |    |
| ADVANCE COPY <input type="checkbox"/> ISSUED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOTTED |  | EXCLUDED FROM AUTOMATIC<br>DOWNGRADING AND<br>DECLASSIFICATION        |                                | 2                                 | 7  |
| BY: _____ AT: _____ Z   |  | REPRODUCTION OF THIS COPY PROHIBITED                                  |                                | 3                                 | 8  |
| DISSEM BY _____ PER _____ # _____   |  | INDEX: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO       |                                | 4                                 | 9  |
| ACTION <input type="checkbox"/> RID COPY                                      |  | CLASSIFY TO FILE NO. _____  |                                | 5                                 | 10 |
|   |  | X-REF TO FILE NO. _____   |                                |                                   |    |
|   |  | FILE RID <input type="checkbox"/> RET. TO _____                       |                                |                                   |    |
|   |  | BRANCH <input type="checkbox"/> DESTROY <input type="checkbox"/> SIG. |                                |                                   |    |
|   |  | INFO: _____   |                                |                                   |    |
|   |  | FILE _____ VR _____   |                                |                                   |    |

PAGE 2 SAIGON 0096 S E C R E T

ARRIVAL. SUGGEST HEADQUARTERS ANALYSTS PLOW INTO THIS  
ASAP, AS WE HAVE HAD OPPORTUNITY FOR ONLY MOST CURSORY  
SCANNING HERE.

S E C R E T

BT



|   |  |   |                     |                                   |  |
|---|--|---|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION   |  | CLASSIFIED MESSAGE  | TOTAL COPIES        | ROUTING AND/OR INITIALS - SEEN BY |  |
| PERSON/UNIT NOTIFIED  |  | <b>SECRET</b><br>(When Filled In)<br>GROUP<br>EXEMPT FROM AUTOMATIC<br>DOWNGRADING AND<br>DECLASSIFICATION  | 1737A000300020015-4 | 6                                 |  |
| Approved For Release 2001/03/04   |  |   |                     | 7                                 |  |
| ADVANCE COPY <input type="checkbox"/> ISSUED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOTTED |  |   |                     | 8                                 |  |
| BY: _____ AT: _____ Z   |  |   |                     | 9                                 |  |
| DISSEM BY _____ PER _____   |  |   |                     | 10                                |  |
| ACTION <input type="checkbox"/> RID COPY                                      |  | REPRODUCTION OF THIS COPY PROHIBITED<br>INDEX: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO<br>CLASSIFY TO FILE NO. _____<br>X-REF TO FILE NO. _____<br>FILE RID <input type="checkbox"/> RET. TO _____ BRANCH <input type="checkbox"/> DESTROY <input type="checkbox"/> SIG. _____<br>INFO: _____<br>FILE. _____ VR. _____ |                     |                                   |  |

25X1A

PAGE 2 SAIGON [REDACTED] S E C R E T

BARRIE WILLIAMS. TWO CINCPAC OFFICERS ALSO ACCOMPANYING GROUP AND MACV EXPECTED TO SEND AT LEAST ONE OBSERVER.

4. FOR DANANG. MOST OF MEMBERS OF GROUP WILL DEPART VIA AIR AMERICA AT 0700 ON TUESDAY. MILITARY AIRCRAFT WITH GENERAL GLASS AND MACV REPS WILL DEPART ONE HOUR LATER SO ARRIVAL TIMES WILL PROBABLY COINCIDE. WHILE AT DANANG GROUP WILL BREAK UP AND VISIT III MAF G-2 AND G-3, I CORPS (ARVN) COMMANDER AND SENIOR ADVISOR AS WELL AS [REDACTED]

25X1A

25X1A PARTY PLANS TO HAVE LUNCH WITH MARINES. GEN. GLASS AND [REDACTED] PLAN TO CALL ON GEN. CUSHMAN AND GEN. LASS MAY ALSO VISIT PHU BAI.

5. WILL ADVISE FURTHER DETAILS RE II, III AND IV CORPS VISITS ASAP.

S E C R E T

BT

|   |  |   |                 |   |                           |
|---|--|---|-----------------|---|---------------------------|
| CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION   |  | CLASSIFIED MESSAGE  | TOTAL COPIES 10 | ROUT  | AND/OR INITIALS - SEEN BY |
| PERSON/UNIT   |  | SECRET: CIA-RDP79B01737A000300020015-4                          |                 |   |                           |
| ADVANCE COPY  |  | REPRODUCTION OF THIS COPY PROHIBITED                            |                 |   |                           |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ISSUED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOTTED |  | INDEX: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO |                 |   |                           |
| BY: A   |  | CLASSIFY TO FILE NO.  |                 |   |                           |
| AT: 1105 Z  |  | X-REF TO FILE NO.   |                 |   |                           |
| DISSEM BY 53  |  | FILE RID <input type="checkbox"/> RET. TO                       |                 | BRANCH <input type="checkbox"/> DESTROY <input type="checkbox"/> SIG. |                           |
| ACTION: D/OC/1 2  |  | INFO: DD/1, DDP, S/SAVA, S/DO                                   |                 |   |                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RID COPY   |  | FILE, VR. SDO   |                 |   |                           |
| SECRET 181028Z MAR 68 CITE SAIGON 2095                                      |  |   |                 |   |                           |

IMMEDIATE DIRECTOR

25X1A

REFERENCE: A. DIRECTOR 82580

B. DIRECTOR 83553

1. MACV RESPONSE REFERENCES FOLLOWS: QUOTE

A. WE FOUND NO ENEMY BASE AREAS IN THE SAIGON AREA; HOWEVER, THOSE AREAS WHICH WERE OCCUPIED BY THE ENEMY AND SUBSEQUENTLY RETAKEN BY FRIENDLY FORCES YIELDED SPARSE INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION. SOME DOCUMENTS WERE FOUND WHICH ALLOWED US TO

25X1B

25X1B

AND WE DISCOVERED A FEW CACHES OF WEAPONS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT. REGARDING OUR OVERRUNNING COSVN'S BASE AREA, THE COSVN HQ WAS NEVER IDENTIFIED AS BEING IN SAIGON ITSELF ALTHOUGH WE KNOW THAT ELEMENTS WERE IN THE OUTSKIRTS. OPERATION YELLOWSTONE IN TAY TINH RENDERED SEVERAL TONS OF DOCUMENTS, SOME OF WHICH WERE CONDUCTIVE TO OUR ANALYSIS OF ENEMY POST-TET STRATEGY. THIS WILL AID OUR FUTURE OPERATIONAL PLANNING.

|   |  |  |              |   |  |
|---|--|--|--------------|---|--|
| CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION   |  | CLASSIFIED MESSAGE   | TOTAL COPIES | ROUTING AND/OR INITIALS - SEEN BY                                     |  |
| PERSON/UNIT/OTR/OPS   |  | Approved For Release 2001/03/04 : CIA-RDP79B01737A000300020015-4 |              | 46  |  |
| ADVANCE COPY <input type="checkbox"/> ISSUED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOTTED |  | SECRET (When Filled In)  |              | EXCLUDED FROM AUTOMATIC DOWNGRADING AND DECLASSIFICATION              |  |
| BY: _____ AT: _____ Z   |  | REPRODUCTION OF THIS COPY PROHIBITED                             |              | 2 7   |  |
| DISSEM BY _____ PER _____ # _____   |  | INDEX: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO  |              | 3 8   |  |
| ACTION <input type="checkbox"/> RID COPY                                      |  | CLASSIFY TO FILE NO. _____                                       |              | 4 9   |  |
|   |  | X-REF TO FILE NO. _____  |              | 5 10  |  |
|   |  | FILE RID <input type="checkbox"/> RET. TO _____                  |              | BRANCH <input type="checkbox"/> DESTROY <input type="checkbox"/> SIG. |  |
|   |  | INFO: _____  |              |   |  |
|   |  | FILE, _____  |              | VR, _____   |  |

B. ALL SOURCES OF INTELL CONTRIBUTE TO EFFORTS TO GET AT THE ENEMY COMMO-LIAISON ROUTES AND TO FIND CACHES - THESE PLUS IMPRESSED PORTERS ARE THE ENEMY'S FORWARD SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM. UNQUOTE

2. REGARDING REF B, PARAGRAPH 3, OPERATION QUYET THANG HAS YET TO PRODUCE ANY SIGNIFICANT INTELLIGENCE THOUGH A NUMBER OF WEAPONS CACHES HAVE BEEN UNCOVERED. FRIENDLY OPERATIONS OVER PAST YEAR THROUGH REFERENCE B " SAIGON AREA" HAVE NOT ENCOUNTERED SIZEABLE "ENEMY BASE AREAS" OF TYPE CONTAINING LARGE VOLUME DOCUMENTS SUCH AS FOUND CEDAR FALLS AND JUNCTION CITY.

S E C R E T

BT

ORIG: [REDACTED]  
INIT: CIA/OPS CENTER  
XT: 7511  
DATE: 16 March 1968

MESSAGE FORM  
**SECRET**

| ROUTING AND/OR INITIALS - SEEN BY |    |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| 1                                 | 6  |
| 2                                 | 7  |
| 3                                 | 8  |
| 4                                 | 9  |
| 5                                 | 10 |

ABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION  
BY 53 PER OC1 # 4  
CONF: SPO ☐ RID COPY

☐ INDEX ☐ DESTROY ☐ RETURN TO ☐ BRANCH ☐ FILE RE  
☐ NO INDEX ☐ FILE IN CS FILE NO.  
INFO: FILE , VR 2/04 2, DDP, DD/1,

(classification) SECRET (date and time filed) 17 05 14 Z (all in) (reference number) 83553

**SECRET**  
CITE DIRECTOR  
IMMEDIATE SAIGON  
[REDACTED] 25X1A

REF: SAIGON 0049 (IN 71986)

1. QUESTIONS IN DIR 82580 RELAYED AS RECEIVED FROM REQUESTER AND RECOGNIZE MAY LACK PRECISION BUT BELIEVE QUOTE SAIGON AREA UNQUOTE WAS MEANT TO INCLUDE THREE GEOGRAPHIC AREAS:

- A. URBAN AREA INCLUDING SAIGON, CHO LON AND GIA DINH
- B. OPERATION FAIRFAX AREA
- C. CAPITAL MILITARY DISTRICT

REQUEST THAT REPORT DEAL WITH ~~WHICH OF THESE THREE AREAS~~ THESE THREE AREAS SEPARATELY.

2. WE INTERPRET TIME PERIOD TO BE COVERED BY REPORT TO INCLUDE 1 FEB TO 16 MARCH 1968.

3. DOES CURRENT OPERATION QUIT THANG HAVE ANY BEARING ON RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS IN DIR 82580? AT TIME QUESTIONS WERE FRAMED BY REQUESTER INFORMATION ON QUIT THANG NON-EXISTANT BACK HERE.

4. BELIEVE QUESTIONS CONTAINED IN DIR 82580 ~~WERE~~ WERE PROMPTED BY LINE OF REASONING THAT KNOWING THESE "ENEMY BASE AREAS" EXISTED IN THE

RIG:  
NIT:  
CT:  
ATE:

TOTAL COPIES:

**SECRET**

| INITIALS - SEEN BY |    |
|--------------------|----|
| 1                  | 6  |
| 2                  | 7  |
| 3                  | 8  |
| 4                  | 9  |
| 5                  | 10 |

ABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION

PER \_\_\_\_\_

☐ INDEX ☐ DESTROY ☐ RETURN TO \_\_\_\_\_ BRANCH ☐ FILE  
☐ NO INDEX ☐ FILE IN CS FILE NO.

DNF:

☐ RID COPY

INFO:

FILE , VR

(classification)

(date and time filed)

(elite)  
(reference number)

**SECRET**

PAGE TWO

CITE DIRECTOR 83553

["SAIGON AREA" WHAT DO WE DO WITH THE INTELLIGENCE OBTAINED FROM THEIR CAPTURE?

END OF MESSAGE

25X1A

25X1A



SENIOR DUTY OFFICER

RELEASING OFFICER

25X1A



CLANDESTINE SERVICES  
DUTY OFFICER

COORDINATING OFFICERS

**SECRET**

25X1A



SAVA (telecord)

D/OER (telecord)

AUTHENTICATING  
OFFICER



|  |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|---|--|---|--|---|--|---|--|---|--|---|--|---|--|---|--|---|--|----|--|
| CABLE SECRETARY AT 9 SEEMINGLY   |  | CLASSIFIED MESSAGE   |  | TOTAL OF 10 INITIALS SEEN BY   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
| PERSON/UNIT NOTIFIED   |  | <b>SECRET</b><br>(When Filled In)                              |  | GROUP 1<br>EXCLUDED FROM AUTOMATIC<br>DOWNGRADING AND<br>DECLASSIFICATION  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
| ADVANCE COPY <input type="checkbox"/> ISSUED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOTTED <input type="checkbox"/> |  | REPRODUCTION OF THIS COPY PROHIBITED                           |  | <table border="1"> <tr><td>1</td><td></td><td>6</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td></td><td>7</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td></td><td>8</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td></td><td>9</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td></td><td>10</td><td></td></tr> </table> |  | 1 |  | 6 |  | 2 |  | 7 |  | 3 |  | 8 |  | 4 |  | 9 |  | 5 |  | 10 |  |
| 1  |  | 6  |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
| 2  |  | 7  |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
| 3  |  | 8  |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
| 4  |  | 9  |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
| 5  |  | 10   |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
| BY _____ AT _____ Z  |  | INDEX <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
| DISSEM BY <u>24</u> PER _____ # _____  |  | CLASSIFY TO FILE NO _____                                      |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
| ACTION <u>D/OCE-2</u> <input type="checkbox"/> RIO COPY  |  | X-REF TO FILE NO _____   |  |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
|  |  | FILE RID <input type="checkbox"/> RET TO _____                 |  | BRANCH <input type="checkbox"/> DESTROY <input type="checkbox"/> SIG.  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |
|  |  | INFO. FILE. VR <u>C/SAWA</u>                                   |  | <b><u>ACTION CHANGE</u></b>  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |    |  |

SAIGON 0049  
(STATION & NUMBER)

IN 71986-A  
(IN NUMBER)

**C/S COMMENT: THE ACTION RESPONSIBILITY FOR THIS CABLE HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED**

FROM

SAWA

(DIVISION)

TO

D/OCE

(DIVISION)

BY

C/S

(NAME DIVISION AND EXTENSION)

IN COORDINATION WITH

(NAME DIVISION AND EXTENSION)

**SECRET**

|  |  |   |   |                                   |
|--|--|---|---|-----------------------------------|
| CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION  |  | CLASSIFIED MESSAGE  | TOTAL COPIES 11                                 | ROUTING AND/OR INITIALS - SEEN BY |
| PERSON/UNIT NOTIFIED   |  | GROUP 1   | 1   | 6                                 |
| Approved For Release 2001/03/04 : CIA-RDP70B01737A000300020015-4                         |  | DECLASSIFICATION  | 3   | 8                                 |
| ADVANCE COPY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ISSUED <input type="checkbox"/> SLOTTED |  | REPRODUCTION OF THIS COPY PROHIBITED                            | 4   | 9                                 |
| BY: <u>SDO</u> AT: <u>0240</u> Z   |  | INDEX: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO | 5   | 10                                |
| DISSEM BY: <u>24</u> PER <u>QEI # 4</u>  |  | CLASSIFY TO FILE NO. _____                                      | <b>PRECEDENCE</b>                               |                                   |
| ACTION <u>SAVA</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RID COPY                          |  | X-REF TO FILE NO. _____   | FILE RID <input type="checkbox"/> RET. TO _____ |                                   |
| INFO: FILE, VR, <u>D/OCE-2, DDI, DDP</u>   |  |   |   |                                   |

**SECRET** 170217Z MAR 68 CITE SAIGON 0049

IMMEDIATE DIRECTOR

17 MAR 68 IN 71986

25X1A

REF: DIRECTOR 82580

PER PARA 1A, PLEASE CLARIFY QUOTE SAIGON AREA UNQUOTE  
AND SPECIFY TIME FRAME TO BE COVERED BY REQUESTED REPORT.

**SECRET**

BT

**(REPLY ATTACHED)**

For Release 2001/03/04 : CIA-RDP79B01737A000300020015-4

MESSAGE FORM  
TOTAL PAGES: 1

ROUTING AND/OR INITIALS - SEEN BY

|   |  |    |
|---|--|----|
| 1 |  | 6  |
| 2 |  | 7  |
| 3 |  | 8  |
| 4 |  | 9  |
| 5 |  | 10 |

ORIG: [REDACTED]  
 INIT: CIA/OPS CENTER  
 EXT: 7511  
 DATE: 16 March 1968

25X1A

**SECRET**

ABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION

BY 53 PER OC1 # 4

CONF: SDO ☐ RID COPY

☐ INDEX ☐ DESTROY ☐ RETURN TO \_\_\_\_\_ BRANCH ☐ FILE # \_\_\_\_\_

☐ NO INDEX ☐ FILE IN CS FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

INFO: FILE \_\_\_\_\_, VR 2/04 2, DDF DD/1,

(classification) SECRET (date and time filed) 17 05 14 Z (refNo) 83553

CITE DIRECTOR

IMMEDIATE SAIGON

25X1A REF: SAIGON 0049 (IN 71986)

1. QUESTIONS IN DIR 82580 RELAYED AS RECEIVED FROM REQUESTER AND RECOGNIZE MAY LACK PRECISION BUT BELIEVE QUOTE SAIGON AREA UNQUOTE WAS MEANT TO INCLUDE THREE GEOGRAPHIC AREAS:

- A. URBAN AREA INCLUDING SAIGON, CHO LON AND GIA DINH
- B. OPERATION FAIRFAX AREA
- C. CAPITAL MILITARY DISTRICT

REQUEST THAT REPORT DEAL WITH ~~THESE THREE AREAS~~ THESE THREE AREAS SEPARATELY.

2. WE INTERPRET TIME PERIOD TO BE COVERED BY REPORT TO INCLUDE 1 FEB TO 16 MARCH 1968.

3. DOES CURRENT OPERATION QUIT THANG HAVE ANY BEARING ON RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS IN DIR 82580? AT TIME QUESTIONS WERE FRAMED BY REQUESTER INFORMATION ON QUIT THANG NON-EXISTANT BACK HERE.

4. BELIEVE QUESTIONS CONTAINED IN DIR 82580 ~~WERE~~ WERE PROMPTED BY LINE OF REASONING THAT KNOWING THESE "ENEMY BASE AREAS" EXISTED IN THE

RELEASING OFFICER

COORDINATING OFFICERS

**SECRET**

GROUP 1  
Excluded from automatic  
downgrading and  
declassification

AUTHENTICATING  
OFFICER

Approved For Release 2001/03/04 : CIA-RDP79B01737A000300020015-4

COPY NO.

RIG:  
NIT:  
AT:  
ATE:

TOTAL COPIES:

**SECRET**

|   |  |    |
|---|--|----|
| 1 |  | 6  |
| 2 |  | 7  |
| 3 |  | 8  |
| 4 |  | 9  |
| 5 |  | 10 |

ABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION

PER #

DNF:

☐ RID COPY

☐ INDEX ☐ DESTROY ☐ RETURN TO ☐ BRANCH ☐ FILE  
☐ NO INDEX ☐ FILE IN CS FILE NO.

INFO:

FILE , VR

(classification)

(date and time filed)

(date)  
(reference number)

**SECRET**

PAGE TWO

CITE DIRECTOR 83553

"SAIGON AREA" WHAT DO WE DO WITH THE INTELLIGENCE OBTAINED FROM THEIR CAPTURE?

END OF MESSAGE

25X1A

25X1A

25X1A

D. T. SPARKS  
SENIOR DUTY OFFICER

RELEASING OFFICER

CLANDESTINE SERVICES  
DUTY OFFICER

COORDINATING OFFICERS

25X1A

SAVA (telecord)  
D/OER (telecord)

AUTHENTICATING  
OFFICER

COPY NO.

**SECRET**

ORIG: [REDACTED]  
UNIT: DCI/SAVA  
EXT: 5464  
DATE: 13Mar68

25X1A

SECRET

| INITIALS - SEEN BY |    |
|--------------------|----|
| 1                  | 6  |
| 2                  | 7  |
| 3                  | 8  |
| 4                  | 9  |
| 5                  | 10 |

CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION

BY: 28 PER OCI # 4

☐ INDEX ☐ DESTROY ☐ RETURN TO ☐ BRANCH ☐ FILE NO.  
☐ NO INDEX ☐ FILE IN CS FILE NO.

CONF: SAVA

☐ RID COPY

INFO:

FILE

VR

D/OC12, DDI, DDP

(classification)

C/FE, SDO, CS/DO

(date and time filed)

(elite)  
(reference number)

SECRET

177

CITE DIRECTOR

82500

TO PRIORITY SAIGON

25X1A

FOR [REDACTED]

25X1A

25X1A

1. ON 12 MARCH, GENERAL TAYLOR PASSED A LIST OF QUESTIONS TO [REDACTED] MOST OF THESE WE CAN HANDLE HERE BUT THE FOLLOWING TWO WILL REQUIRE FIELD INPUT:

A. A REPORT IS DESIRED AS TO THE OUTCOME OF ATTACKS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE BY U.S./SVN FORCES ON ENEMY BASE AREAS IN THE SAIGON AREA. FOR INSTANCE, NOW THAT THE OLD COSVN AREA HAS BEEN OVER-RUN WHAT WAS FOUND THERE, PARTICULARLY WHAT INCREASED INTELLIGENCE WAS OBTAINED WHICH WAS OF VALUE FOR ~~KXXM~~ FURTHER MILITARY OPERATIONS?

B. WHAT INTELLIGENCE EFFORTS ARE NOW BEING MADE BY U.S./SOUTH VIETNAM ELEMENTS TO OBTAIN INFORMATION ON THE FORWARD DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM UTILIZED BY THE ENEMY FOR THE SUPPORT OF ITS MILITARY OPERATIONS, AS THE BASIS FOR INTERDICTION OF SUCH DISTRIBUTION BY OUR MILITARY FORCES?

RELEASING OFFICER

SECRET

GROUP 1  
Excluded from automatic  
downgrading and  
declassification

AUTHENTICATING  
OFFICER

ORIG:  
UNIT:  
EXT:  
DATE:

SECRET

| ROUTING AND/OR INITIALS - EEN BY |    |
|----------------------------------|----|
| 1                                | 6  |
| 2                                | 7  |
| 3                                | 8  |
| 4                                | 9  |
| 5                                | 10 |

CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION

BY \_\_\_\_\_ PER \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_

CONF:

☐ RID COPY

☐ INDEX ☐ DESTROY ☐ RETURN TO \_\_\_\_\_ BRANCH ☐ FILE  
☐ NO INDEX ☐ FILE IN CS FILE NO.

INFO:

FILE , VR ,

(classification)

(date and time filed)

(elite)  
(reference number)

PAGE TWO

CITE DIRECTOR

825.80

TO [ ]

2. REQUEST YOU GENERATE THROUGH YOUR ~~MISSION~~ **TEAM** BEST POSSIBLE COORDINATED (I.E., STATION PLUS MACV) SAIGON FIELD RESPONSE AND SE BACK THROUGH OUR CHANNELS. WE WOULD LIKE TO MAKE OUR RESPONSE, INCORPORATING YOUR INPUT, BY COB MONDAY, 18 MARCH.

END OF MESSAGE

D/OER

for D/OCI

DDI

D/NIPE

C/VNO

5 25X1A

25X1A

25X1A

SECRET

GROUP 1  
Excluded from automatic  
downgrading and  
declassification

SAVA  
AUTHENTICATING  
OFFICER